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Application of: Malcolm Tom MCKECHNIE  
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14.Jan.2011

Dear Sir;

**AMENDMENT**

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated 14.Sep.2010.

This paper incorporates a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time in order to permit for the timely filing of this response.